## **Technical Documentation for CARSHBOC02.dbf**

The file CARSHBOC02.dbf contains population estimates by county, age, race, sex, and Hispanic Origin for 2000-2002. These estimates were developed by the U.S. Census Bureau through the Federal-State Cooperative Program for Population Estimates. They are based on a cohort-component methodology in which different death rates and migration rates are applied to each age group as it grows older. These estimates were released on September 18, 2003 and they are scheduled to be updated on an annual basis.

Comparable estimates for other states can be obtained from the Census Bureau's website, http://eire.census.gov/popest/estimates.php

The database was prepared by the Library of Michigan in dbf format, which is recognized by most database, spreadsheet, and statistical programs. It contains the following fields:

<u>FieldName</u>	<u>Type</u>	Size	Description
StCty	character	5	FIPS state and county code
Reg	character	1	FIPS region code 2=Midwest
Div	character	1	FIPS division code 3=East North Central
StName	character	8	state name
CtyName	character	21	county name
Age	numeric	2	0 = Total  1 = Age 0 to 4  2 = Age 5 to 9  3 = Age 10 to 14  4 = Age 15 to 19  5 = Age 20 to 24  6 = Age 25 to 29  7 = Age 30 to 34  8 = Age 35 to 39  9 = Age 40 to 44  10 = Age 45 to 49  11 = Age 50 to 54  12 = Age 55 to 59  13 = Age 60 to 64  14 = Age 65 to 69  15 = Age 70 to 74  16 = Age 75 to 79  17 = Age 80 to 84  18 = Age 85+
Sex	numeric	1	0=Total 1=Male 2=Female
Race	numeric	2	0 = Total 1 = White Alone

- 2 = Black Alone
- 3 = American Indian and Alaska Native Alone
- 4 = Asian Alone
- 5 = Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Alone
- 6 =Two or more races
- 7 = White Alone or in Combination
- 8 = Black Alone or in Combination
- 9 = American Indian and Alaska Native Alone or in Combination
- 10 = Asian Alone or in Combination
- 11 = Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Alone or In Combination

Origin	numeric	1	0=Total 1=Non-Hispanic 2=Hispanic
P00	numeric	8	July 2000 population estimate
P01	numeric	8	July 2001 population estimate
P02	numeric	8	July 2002 population estimate
AgeTag	character	4	descriptive age label
County	character	3	county FIPS code (see field CtyName for names corresponding to each code)
RaceTag	character	5	abbreviated race label